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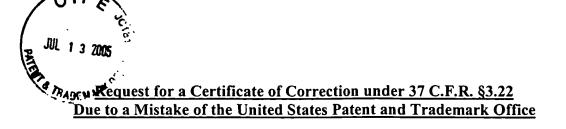
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A review of the above-identified patent has revealed an error due to mistake of the Patent and Trademark Office.

The corrections in the patent and the corresponding locations in the application are set forth as follows:

### In the Claims

PATENT	APPLICATION	
Col. 18, line 37, Claim number 6: after "depth" and before "includes" delete "detector".	Page 31, claim number 6: after "depth" and before "includes" there is no word.	



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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Col. 18, line 37, Claim number 6: After "depth" and before "includes" delete "detector".

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